

SENATE BILL No. 299

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 12-15-12-20; IC 16-41-2-1.

Synopsis: Lead poisoning and children. Requires the office of Medicaid policy and planning to develop: (1) measures to evaluate Medicaid managed care organizations in screening children for lead poisoning; (2) a system to maintain the results of the evaluation; and (3) a performance incentive program. Requires the state department of health to adopt rules for case management of children with lead poisoning. (The introduced version of this bill was prepared by the select joint commission on Medicaid oversight.)

Effective: July 1, 2005.

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January 6, 2005, read first time and referred to Committee on Health and Provider Services.

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First Regular Session 114th General Assembly (2005)

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning human services.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

1 SECTION 1. IC 12-15-12-20 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA
2 CODE AS A **NEW** SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS
3 [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2005]: **Sec. 20. The office shall develop the**
4 **following:**

5 (1) **A measure to evaluate the performance of a Medicaid**
6 **managed care organization in screening a child who is less**
7 **than seven (7) years of age for lead poisoning.**

8 (2) **A system to maintain the results of an evaluation under**
9 **subdivision (1) in written form.**

10 (3) **A performance incentive program for Medicaid managed**
11 **care organizations evaluated under subdivision (1).**

12 SECTION 2. IC 16-41-2-1 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
13 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2005]: Sec. 1. (a) The state
14 department may adopt rules under IC 4-22-2 that do the following:

15 (1) Define and classify the following:

16 (A) Communicable diseases.

17 (B) Other diseases that are a danger to health based upon the

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- 1 characteristics of the disease.
- 2 (2) Establish reporting, monitoring, and preventive procedures for
- 3 communicable diseases.
- 4 **(b) The state department shall adopt rules under IC 4-22-2 for**
- 5 **the case management of a child with lead poisoning.**

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